IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Jehan Vanpoperynghe et al.

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.312(a) AFTER ALLOWANCE

Dear Sir:

Although the above-identified application has been allowed, applicants respectfully request that the application be amended pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312(a) as indicated below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.